

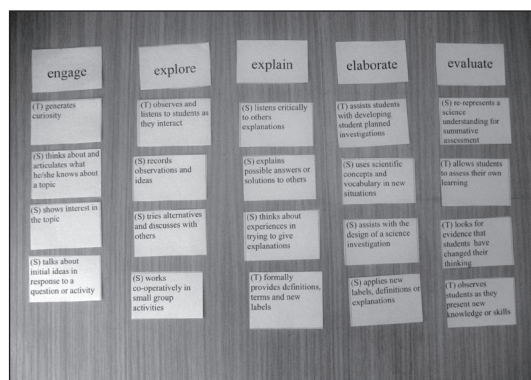
Card sort

Purpose

An evaluation tool which requires participants to categorise concepts or ideas in like groupings.

Process

- Distribute shuffled card sets to participants (individuals or groups).
- Instruct participants on the key cards which act as headers of categories.
- Participants sort the cards by placing them in the most appropriate category.
- Provide a possible answer sheet.
- Allow time for participants to discuss and justify the placement of cards in categories compared with the possible answer sheet.



Product

The card sort categorises like ideas into pre-determined groups or categories. The contents of each category are then discussed to deepen understanding.

PrimaryConnections examples

- Sort the cards describing student and teacher behaviours into the phases of the PrimaryConnections 5Es teaching and learning model.
- Sort the cards describing appropriate questioning techniques into the 5Es phases.
- Sort the cards describing the roles and responsibilities of the director, manager and speaker in cooperative learning groups.